Docket No.: 64162-021

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Customer Number: 20277

Mitchell Keegan, et al. Confirmation Number: 9129

Application No.: 09/807,519 Group Art Unit: 1636

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For: DELIVERY SYSTEM FOR PORCINE SOMATOTROPIN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Appeal Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2004, now due to expire October 5, 2004 by virtue of a Petition for Extension of Time filed October 1, 2004, be extended for a third month and set to expire on November 5, 2004.

Please charge the further extension fee of \$550.00 (two month extension fee of \$430 having been previously paid) to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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